Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 01 May 2023 until 23:59 on Tuesday 02 May 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 30 Apr 2023 at 16:24

Confidence: High improving Monday, fair Tuesday, lowering for cloud details from Thursday.

Headline for Monday 01 May 2023: Some showers mainly at first, brighter spells increasing for afternoon. Strong summit winds easing. Freezing level above summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 01 May 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Light rain	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
30%	40%	40%	20%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Monday 01 May 2023

Weather: Rather cloudy start with showers or longer spells of light rain. This clears south towards noon with a mix of brighter spells and only a few very isolated light showers for the afternoon

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 30% becoming 90% for afternoon

Low cloud and visibility: Good becoming moderate or poor in rain, very poor within cloud with bases quite extensive down to 600m at first, infrequently so from the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	21/29 NW	25/35 NW	27/38 NW	24/35 NW	22/33 NW	20/29 NW	17/25 N	16/24 N	10/13 N
300	12/21 NW	13/23 NW	15/27 NW	14/26 NW	13/24 NW	12/21 NW	10/19 N	10/19 N	7/11 N
Valley	11/20 NW	12/23 NW	14/26 NW	14/26 NW	12/24 NW	11/22 NW	10/19 N	10/18 N	6/10 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/2	6/1	6/-0	6/1	7/3	8/4	7/2	4/-1	3/-0
300	8/5	8/5	8/4	9/6	11/8	11/9	10/7	6/3	5/3
Valley	9/7	9/6	9/6	10/8	12/10	13/10	11/9	7/4	6/4
<< Freezing Level*	1700m	1700m	1600m	1500m	1400m	1500m	1400m	1400m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Severe wind chill across highest tops. Hill fog quite extensive at first.

Forecast for Tuesday 02 May 2023

Weather: Dry with sunny spells which turn hazy as higher cloud increases during the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Variable 15mph or less

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90% plus

Low cloud and visibility: Good or very good, becoming very poor within cloud with bases very infrequently lowering to 700m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius increasing 16 Celsius during the afternoon
At 700m: Plus 4 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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